

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Naoko TSUJI, et al.

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SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION

EXAMINER:

FILED: HEREWITH

FOR: TREATING METHOD FOR SUPPRESSING HAIR GROWTH

REQUEST FOR PRIORITY

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SIR:

- Full benefit of the filing date of U.S. Application Serial Number 10/067,941, filed February 8, 2002, which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No.: 09/614,166, filed July 11, 2000, is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §120.
 - Full benefit of the filing date(s) of U.S. Provisional Application(s) is claimed pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119(e):

<u>Application No.</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>
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 - Applicants claim any right to priority from any earlier filed applications to which they may be entitled pursuant to the provisions of 35 U.S.C. §119, as noted below

In the matter of the above-identified application for patent, notice is hereby given that the applicants claim as priority:

<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u>	<u>MONTH/DAY/YEAR</u>
Japan	11-197811	July 12, 1999
Japan	2000-039673	February 17, 2000

Certified copies of the corresponding Convention Application(s)

- are submitted herewith

will be submitted prior to payment of the Final Fee

were filed in prior application Serial No. 10/067,941 filed February 8, 2002, which is a Continuation of U.S. Serial No.: 09/614,166, filed July 11, 2000.

were submitted to the International Bureau in PCT Application Number
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(A) Application Serial No.(s) were filed in prior application Serial No. filed ; and

(B) Application Serial No.(s)
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